

REMARKS

Reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested. The Examiner objected to claim 10 and this claim has been cancelled. The Examiner rejected claims 7 and 10 under 35 U.S.C. § 112 for the recitation displaying unit lacking antecedent basis. Claim 10 has been cancelled and claim 7 has been amended to obviate this rejection.

The Examiner rejected claims 6-10 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Hinoue et al. (6,118,485) in view of Fukumitsu et al. (6,141,052). Claim 6 has been amended in a sincere effort to overcome the rejection of record.

Claim 6 has been amended to add the recitation found in the specification at page 23, last paragraph bridging the first three lines of page 24 and that is the provision of a recess 141 in the body section so that even when the display panel section is pivotally moved to the closed position the image pick up section 22 can fit within the recess and can be turned without interfering with the body section. No such structure is taught in either of the references of record.

Hinoue et al. discloses an IC card unit with an imaging processing apparatus 21a which while it pivots (See Figs. 6 and 7) and is not housed within a recess.

Secondary reference to Fukumitsu et al. chose an imaging processing device used with a personal computer but when the display panel is pivotally closed the imaging processing device does not fit into a recess as none is provided.

Accordingly, there is no teaching or suggestion in either of the references by that which is positively recited in newly presented claim 6 and claims 7 through 9 dependent thereon are allowable.

Accordingly, in view of the above amendments and remarks, favorable reconsideration and allowance of this application are respectfully requested.

Accordingly, allowance of the present application is respectfully requested.

Conclusion

Enclosed is our check in the amount of \$430.00 in payment of a two month extension fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any insufficient fees or credit any overpayment associated with the above-identified application to Deposit Account 50-0320.

Respectfully submitted,

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